Alexandria Gazetie.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 15.

LOCAL NEWS.

For this district, snow, northerly winds and

CITY COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the City Council, after an interval of three weeks, was held last

IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN a quorum was present a few minutes after

The President (E. E. Downham) offered a resolution providing that the Mayor be requested to confer with the officers of the Bell Telephone Company, and to ascertain why non subscribers cannot procure communication with Washington over the wires. The superintendent of the company had called to see the speaker in regard to the matter, actuated probably by the remarks made at the last regular meeting of the heard and during the interview which foland that officer had suggested that a simhar resolution of inquiry would attain the desired end without having recourse to an ordinance repealing the company's charter, as had been threatened by the speaker. It appeared that the Bell Telephone Company had made stipulations with the Western Union Telegraph Company that the former would not enter into competition with the latter in the business between this city and Washington.

Mr. Burke-"Has the Western Union Company such an influence over the tele phone company?

Mr. Downham-"So it appears."

Mr. Smith doubted the validity of the agreement. The telephone company was on the me looting as common carriers or inkeep ers, and had no right to refuse the use of the pelephone between here and Washington when the messages were properly worded.

The resolution was adopted, after which Mr. Smith introduced an ordinance, which he asked the board to refer to the Committee on Streets, repealing the privilege heretofore granted the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company and its successors to use steam engines on Union and Wilkes streets. and making a penalty of \$500 for every infraction of the law. He said there was nothing in the act to prevent the company from moving ears by means of horses, cables or stationary engines. The grade up Wilkes street was steep, and an additional effort on the part of locomotives was required to pull trains up that thoroughfare, hence there was a vibration of the air, which damaged property to no inconsiderable extent. The speaker wanted it understood that he was in no-wi-e inimical to the railroad company, nor did he propose jeopardizing the convenience of merchants who conducted business on Union street, but he was opposed to people's property being damaged unneces sarily by the incessant puffing and blowing of engines endeavoring to pull heavy trains through the street. The house he lived in on Wolfe street was doubtless as stable as any building in the city, but it had been injured by the cars and would eventually be

destroyed. The railroad company had abused its privileges anyhow. The right to place a turnout on Wilkes street in front of the Messrs. Smoot's tannery had been granted the company for the purpose of placing cars loaded with bark in front of the tannery. Advantage had been taken of this privilege, and now the side tracks extend two squares to Pitt street, and it was on these tracks where trains were now made up, and where cars were left standing for weeks at a time-one car being allowed to remain there two months. The City Council had the power to repeal the privilege previously granted allowing the company to run steam engines through the streetsthe Supreme Court of the United States conceding such right in the case of the City Council of Richmond when that city undertook to stop the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac road from using steam engines on the streets of the latter city. Mr. Smith did not want to drive the Midland road from Wilkes or Union streets, but simply

Mr. Marbury said the bill passed by the Aldermen at its last meeting allowing the Midland road to place an additional track on Union street would obviate the difficulty to some extent. He would suggest an amendment-that the provisions of Mr. Smith's ordinance be made to apply to the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Com-

desired to preserve people's properly from

Mr. Smith said the ordinance was not in the amendment stage. When it came properly before the board amendments would be in order.

Mr. Leadbeater moved that the ordinance be referred to the Committee on General Laws, and, Mr. Smith assenting, it was so referred.

The ordinance allowing the Virginia Midland road to lay an additional track on Union street was received from the Common Council with an amendment providing that said company be required to lay planking between their tracks and keep the street from said tracks to the curbs paved, and not to keep cars standing on said additional track. The ordinance, as amended, was

Several papers acted on by the Common Council were then received and concurred in, when a decided disposition on the part of the Aldermen to adjourn was manifested: but it being understood that the lower board was still up to its neck in legislation a recess was declared, and after a short time several matters acted on by the latter were received. Among these papers was one appropriating \$500 for completing the Princess street sewer, and a long discussion followed, some not understanding the reason for the additional outlay-the work having been put out by contract, the parties taking the same guaranteeing to lay the sewer for sixteen

hundred and some dollars.

It was finally determined to send for Mr. Corbett, from the other board, and request him to explain the matter. Mr. C. upon entering the chamber, stated that the parties who covenanted to do the work struck a bed of quicksand, which was a contingency they had not counted on, and could not finish the work for the sum agreed upon; hence the additional amount now

The resolution was adopted, after which the board adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At the meeting of the Common Council. last night, a quorum gathered soon after the hour of assembling Isaac Eichberg, esq.,

The bill granting the V. M. R. R. Co. the right to lag a second track on Union street not having made any return of said money, was taken up.

The clerk announced that since the last meeting two or three additional namesthose of Union street property holders-had been signed to the petition in favor of granting the right of way asked.

Mr. Corbett moved to amend by adding Wilkes to Union street in the section that forbade the charging of "streetage" to per-

soos hiring the cars. Mr. Aitcheson moved to amend by requiring the railroad company to complete the east and of the Wilkes street tunnel bafore the grant should go into effect.

The chair thought that the last amend ment was not germane to the hill, but Mr. Aitcheson insisted upon it.

Mr. Snowden hoped that his cole agus declaring that the east end of the tunnel ner of St. Asaph and Wolfe streets. should be finished in the same memor as the west end is finished he would vote for it. continued till January term. The chair, also, urged the withdrawal of the amendment, and Mr. Ai:cheson with-

The amendment of Mr. Corbett baving been adopted, the bill was put on its pas sage. After Messrs. Moore, Aitcheson, Snowden and Fisher had voted Mr. Good-

rich's name was called. Mr. Goodrich said he had not heard the bill read and did not know what amendments had been made.

The clerk then read the bill again. Mr. Moore said he wished to change his vote, as he had supposed that the voting was on the amendment. He voted "no."

The voting continued. When the name of Mr. Sweeny was called he said he had just come in and had not

heard the bill read. The bill was again read and passed-yeas 2, pays 2—as noted in the official column.
When the application of W. H. Hunter and others for keeping the street lamps lit

all night was read, Mr. Sweeney favored the lighting of lamps.

Mr. Snowden desired to know whether this resolution was intended to include moon-light nights. Mr. Sweeney thought that the clouds

Mr. Brent was surprised that the Committee on Light had sent the matter here. He moved that the matter be referred to the Committee on Light, who have the authority to do what is necessary in the premises; and it was so ordered, with the understanding that the lamps are to remain lighted till

day light in the morning, when necessary. When the committee on streets reported in favor of an additional appropriation of

\$500 for the Princess street sewer, Mr. Snowden wished to know what this money was to be spent for. Council had originally appropriated \$1,700 for this sewer; had been called in special session to appropriate \$600 more to complete it and now \$500 additional was asked. He said this sewer had cost too much, and wished to know, if it was recessary to have called Council in special session to get the \$600, why the \$500 was not asked for before the work had been done.

Mr. Brent said he never saw his friend so Mr. Snowden-When I see a one square

ewer cest \$2,800 it is time to be vigorous. A considerable discussion followed, in which Mr. Corbett said that additional coping, 301 feet of concrete, and some stone work, all of which was unexpected when the work was begun, had led to the additional cost.

Mr. Snowden urged that it was useless to receive proposals and select the lowest bidder if the contracts were not to be adhered

The appropriation was finally made.
When the subject of the Virginia Ship
Building Company's tax was mentioned,
The chair said that the committee on fiance have the power to direct the collec-

tors to levy, or to agree on terms to be af-terwards ratified by the city council. No other business occasioned debate, and the board adjourned until the 11th of January, 1887.

THE AQUEDUCT TITLE .- The Attorney General yesterday transmitted to the Sec retary of War his opinion as to the validity of the title of the Aqueduct bridge, which is in effect that the owners and lessees show a satisfactory title, leaving out the northern abnument, the condemnation for which is provided for by law. The examiner of titles at the Department of Justice has been for some time making a careful examination of the subject together with all the papers cubmitted, and the opinion of the Attorney General, which embodies the result of this examination, is unusually long, filling thirty pages of manuscript. The opinion will be referred at ones by the Secretary of War to the chief of engineer for his consideration.

The transfer of the property to the gov-eroment will be consummated by the owners and lessees, and the Secretary of War, through the chief of engineers, for \$125,000, and every effort will be made to conclude the whole matter before the 22d of December. The six months allowed by Congress in which to effect the purchase will expire on the 21st of December, and if by that time the property is not legally in possession of the government the Secretary of War is required to make preliminary arrangements to construct a free bridge at the Three Sisters. As both parties interested in the matter are desirous of concluding the transfer, it is thought that the legal formalities connected with it will be pushed so that everything will be done within the required time. The only insurmountable obstacle to a valid title in the first instance was the north abutment of the bridge, but this has been removed by the provision of law for its condemnation if necessary, and \$10,000 of the \$125,000 appropriated for the purchase, has

been set aside for that purpose. MARRIAGES.-Capt. George A. Mushbach was married this morning to Miss Eva Benedicta Gwynn, at the residence of Mr. S. M. Dent, on Prince street, Father O'Kane, of St. Mary's Church, officiating. There were no bridesmaids, and the groom was only attended by Mr. John G. Beckham. The bride and groom were handsomely attired in traveling suits, and shortly after the cer-emony left for a trip north, followed by the heartfelt wishes of their numerous friends for a happy journey through life. The bridal presents were numerous and very handsome, among them being a magnificent set of rare china, presented by the Alexandria A large collection of choice Christmas and New Light Infantry, and a beautiful and costly epergue of silver and glass, presented by the Bachelors' Club. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Mushbach will occupy their beautiful new residence, on north Washington

Mr. Frank Hamilton, of Fredericksburg, and Miss Ella Smith, daughter of Mr. John L. Smith, of this city, were married, at four clock this afternoon, by Rev. R. Smithson. After the ceremony the bridal couple left for their future home, in Fredericksburg.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of the county were in session at the Courthouse all of yesterday as stated in the GAZETTE. The petition of Lewis McKenzie for an order directing the county treasurer to allow a receipt for \$303.05 signed by Benj. Austin, former clerk of the board, paid him by Mr. McKenzie for back taxes, said Austin was disallowed. The opinion of Commonwealth's attorney Clements was received and accepted, declaring that all receipts signed by Benj. Austin, as former clerk of the court, for taxes received by him and the court, for taxes received by him and converted to his own use, were void; that and those in want will do well to call on us before said clerk had no right to receive and re- buying. reipt for delinquent taxes prior to March 19 h, 1884, and that said receipts are of no etl. ct. It is estimated that Austin received and receipted for about \$800 for delinquent great bargain. es which he failed to turn into the county

CORPORATION COURT-Judge N. B. Meade presiding. - James-W. Roberts, John Ballenger, Warrington Gillingbam and Edward ington yestering to Warren S. Kerfoot, cf Walton were appointed trustees of the would not insist on this amendment. It Friends' Society to fill vacancies caused by was not germane to the bill. If a separate resignation and death, and leave granted resolution on the subject was introduced them to sell property at the southwest cor-

> Ston coburgh, agent, vs. Samuel Orrison : truster; cause directed to be heard in vaca-

tion by consent. Court adjourned till to morrow morning.

·RIVER ITEMS.-Affairs along the river were quiet this morning. The steamers are making their regular trips, but the quantity of floating ice somewhat retards their progress. With the present mild and soft weather, however, it is thought that the ice, which is well broken up, and has left the flats, will soon can off. The steamer Gitson arrived here from New York this morning, and the Knight will probably sail for that city to morrow. The Norfolk cleared for Philadelphia yesterday evening, and will return on Saturday.

HABEAS CORPUS .- Lewis C. Wilson, who was on Monday last granted an absolute divorce from A. V. Wilson, to day, by his attorney, Mr. J. H. Greene, sued out a writ of babeas corpus made returnable to morrow, requiring A. V. Wilson to produce the children before the Corporation Court to be surrendered to him.

PROPERTY SALE.—The trustees of the Friends' Society of this city to-day sold the old Meeting House and lot on the southwest corner of Wolfe would have to be consulted as well as the St. Asaph streats, to the trustees of the Aged Men and Women's Home Society, a colored organiza-tion of this city, for \$2,700. The property it is said will be fitted up as a home for aged colored

> COURT OF APPEALS YESTERDAY .- Clark vs. city of Richmond. Argued by B. T. Crump, esq., for plaintiff in error, and Charles V. Meredith, esq., for defendant in error, and submitted.
> Cralle vs. Cralle. Sent to foot of docket.

> Mills vs. Talley. Cause put on privileged Paxton vs. Gamewell. Argued by Col.

John H. Guy for appellant. "Oh! love, what is it in this world of ours that makes people suffer so with neuralgia?" Can't tell, my pet, unless the average citizen hasn't got sense enough to buy a bottle of

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CHRONIC CATARRH.—I have suffered for years from Chronic Catarrh. Six weeks ago I was in-duced to try Ely's Cream Balm. Relief was instantaneous, and continued use has resulted in an almost complete cure.—S. M. GREEN, Book-keepr. Steamboat Co. Catskill, N. Y.

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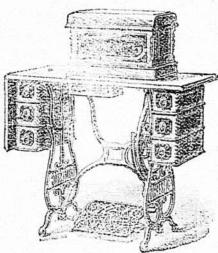
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erable routine business the board adjourned. | EXTRA TABLE MACKEREL just received by

LOCAL BREVITIES. Martiago licenses were issued in Wash-

Berryville, Va., and Mamie A. Giascock, of that city, and to Chas. W. Beach and Mary E Gorham, of Fairfax county. The police report last night as being clear

and cool, until about 11 o'clock, when it became eleudy. There were nice lodgers A. W. Armstrong vs. James R. Caton, Mayor had no coses before him this morn-

Mrs. John Marbury, sr., died early yestenday morning in Georgetown, in the 82d year of her nge. Mrs. Markury was the widow of the late John Markury, an eminent lawyer of Georgetown, and had resided there nearly all her life.

Captain Webster, of the police force, received a captain webster, of the poince force, received a letter to day from officers of Oriental Lodge, I. O. M., of Ballimore, stating that that ledge had in charge the body of Mr. Jahn W. Curley, who was found dead in bad in that city on Sunday morning last, and if not claimed it would be buried to mor-row evening. Capt. Curley, a brother of the de-ceased, recides on north. Columbus street, in this city.

The steamer Virginia was inspected to day by Government officers and passed, and will be on her usual route on Saturday, if not prevented by

The sale of pistols condecated by the police will take place at the sta ion house premptly at 12 o'clock tomorrow. Lt. D. M. French, U. S. R. M. and Mis. French

are in the city on a visit to relatives. Messers. Harry Smoot and J. H. Price have gone to New York on a pleasure trip. The street lamps will hereafter remain lighted till daylight when necessary.

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50c, 75c, \$1, \$1 50 and \$2.

NECKWEAR.

25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

Musical Tops, Guns, Targets, &c.

F. PAFF,

Has on hand as large and complete a stock of Boots, Shoes & Rubber Goods,

equipped in the city.

He has a large stock of fine goods on hand suit-

CHRISTMAS SPECIALTIES in great variety at